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electrodes, are constructed for direct insertion into the body tissue, ~~the~~ said insertion being channel forming. The temperature stabilizer device has a timed heating device for thermal support of the insertion.

In the Specification:

See the enclosed substitute specification and compare document.

In the Claims:

Please amend claims 14-26 as follows:

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1 14. (Amended) An electrosurgery apparatus comprising:
2 an electrode carrier [(31, 61a-c)] having a distal end;
3 at least one electrode [(32, 33, 62, 63)] on the electrode
4 carrier[,];

5 an alternating current source [(81)] conductively connected to
6 the electrode by way of a cable[, and];

7 a temperature control device [(35, 64, 65, 84)] for the
8 electrode and the electrode carrier, wherein the electrode carrier
9 is of a pointed configuration at its distal end; and[,
10 characterised in that there are provided]

11 heating means [(85)] by way of which the at least one
12 electrode [or electrodes] and the electrode carrier are heatable
13 independently of the amplitude of the alternating current flowing
14 through the at least one electrode [or electrodes].

1 15. (Amended) An electrosurgery apparatus as set forth in
2 claim 14 [1 characterised in that] wherein the at least one
3 electrode [or electrodes (32, 33, 62, 63)] and the electrode
4 carrier [(31, 61a-c)] are heatable to a temperature of more than 30
5 degrees.